



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: UPDATE 8/10/21

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 8/6/21

Time: 3:02PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 5400 block Chatford Sq.

Zone: 2

Precinct: 14

Incident Report #: 210582650

Cruiser District: 142

Victim: HUGHES, LANTE

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 23

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

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Incident Summary: UPDATE: The victim has been positively identified as above.

On Friday, August 6, 2021, at 3:02PM, Columbus Police Officers were called to the 5400 block of Chatford Sq. on a report of a shooting. On arrival, officers found the decedent, a male, suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. CFD Madison Township Medic 823 responded and pronounced the victim deceased at 3:13PM.

The investigation revealed the victim was operating a vehicle on Chatford Sq. when it was struck by gunfire, fatally wounding the victim. After the shooting, the victim's vehicle continued a short distance before striking another vehicle that was parked and coming to rest.

The decedent's name is being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). This is the 128 homicide in Columbus Ohio in Calendar Year 2021. Incident #210582650. Detective Polgar is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Johnson.

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